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## Bill Summary

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To determine the community corrections aid amount to be paid to each participating county, the commissioner of corrections must apply a formula provided under Minnesota Statutes 2014, section 401.10, subdivision 1. This bill modifies how the base funding amount used in this formula is calculated. Currently, each participating county's base funding amount is the aid amount that the county received under this section for fiscal year 1995 as reported by the commissioner of corrections. The bill adds the amount received by a county in caseload or workload reduction, felony caseload reduction, and sex offender supervision grants in fiscal year 2015 to the county's base funding amount.

The bill makes the same change to how the aggregate base funding amount is calculated. The aggregate base funding amount is equal to the sum of the base funding amounts for all participating counties. If a county that did not participate under this section in fiscal year 1995 chooses to participate in any given year, then the aggregate base funding amount must be increased by the amount of aid that the county would have received had it participated in fiscal year 1995 plus the estimated amount it would have received in caseload or workload reduction, felony caseload reduction, and sex offender supervision grants in fiscal year 2015.